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Inventor: OCHIAI, Mitsuru et al.

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Glycols Starting Materials Containing Dispersed Superfine Ceramic Powder Coagulates Capable Of Forming

Polyester Molded Bodies Having High Mechanical Strength And Transparency )

### **REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.323**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attn: Certificate of Correction Division

Dear Sir:

The undersigned, on behalf of the Applicants, hereby requests official correction of U.S. Patent No. 6,852,789. Attached is Form PTO/SB/44, in duplicate.

Upon reviewing the issued patent, an error was noted, as follows:

1) The Assignee section on the coverpage of the patent should read as follows, with the deleted text being bracketed and the added text being underlined:

(73) Degussa [[-]] AG (DE): Nippon Aerosil Co., Ltd. (JP) Assignees:

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A copy of the Assignment, from the inventors to Degussa AG and Nippon Aerosil Co., Ltd., is submitted herewith.

As the errors were on our part, we enclose a check in the amount of \$100.00 in payment of the fees due under 37 CFR 1.20(a).

Respectfully submitted,

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#### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS the undersigned (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR") have invented certain new and useful improvements in

GLYCOLS STARTING MATERIALS CONTAINING DISPERSED SUPERFINE
CERAMIC POWDER COAGULATES CAPABLE OF FORMING POLYESTER
MOLDED BODIES HAVING HIGH MECHANICAL STRENGTH AND

#### TRANSPARENCY

for which an application for United States Letters Patent was executed concurrently herewith unless otherwise indicated

WHEREAS, DEGUSSA AG

BENNIGSENPLATZ 1, DE-40474 DÜSSELDORF, GERMANY (a German Corporation)

and

Nippon Aerosil Co., Ltd.
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(hereinafter "ASSIGNEES") are each desirous of acquiring an undivided one-half interest in the right and title in the same:

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of good and valuable consideration, the said ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto each of said ASSIGNEES, an undivided one-half interest in the right to the said invention in the United States and all other countries and an undivided one-half interest in the right and title in and to any and all Letters Patent, which may be granted therefore in the United States, and all other countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions thereof.

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The ASSIGNOR authorizes any attorneys and agents who have a power of attorney in this application to check any appropriate boxes and to insert the Serial Number and filing date in this document after it has been executed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands

Signatures

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INVENTOR(S): OCHIAI, Mitsuru et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

On the first page of the patent, the Assignee section should read as follows:

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Assignees:

Degussa AG (DE); Nippon Aerosil Co., Ltd. (JP)

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